

WORLD OF RADIO #1110, produced December 19, 2001 by Glenn Hauser

- \*Thanks for all the feedback on our battery-powered WOR last week; I identified it wrongly as 1108 instead of 1109; please listen now to the expanded and fixed-up version via the [World Radio Network archive](#) or the [worldofradio.com archive](#)
- \*WOR added to Radio Lavalamp schedule, webcast only station in Osaka, four times each weekend; quick links via [publicradiofan.com](#) or direct URL <http://www.rinku.zaq.ne.jp/bkaec205/index.html>
- \*Best wishes to William A. Matthews, stepping down from his DX reporting on Adventist World Radio, R. Korea International; replacing him are Victor Goonetilleke and Paul Ormandy
- \*Iran, Pakistan, Denmark, Holland, and BBC offering aid in setting up broadcast facilities for Afghanistan; see recent DXLDs
- \*V. of Mezopotamia, clandestine to Kurdistan, expands to 12 hours per day, same frequency, but switching sites from original Samara
- \*Kol Yisrael made midwinter change from 11 to 6 MHz; also new 7 MHz channel for English
- \*R. Bayrak, Turkish Cyprus, confirmed testing again on 6 MHz band
- \*Congo DR about to start broadcasting on SW via Africa No. One, Gabon instead of activating its own SW transmitter, long in storage
- \*Algerian longwave outlet reactivated on same frequency as Ireland
- \*V. of Greece suddenly changes from 11 to 9 MHz via Delano, worse
- \*AWR, Forli, Italy, missing lately, and plans to close after December 31; special QSLs for last two days; what about Argenta replacement?
- \*R. Yugoslavia's SW transmitter in Bosnia suspended for failing to pay electricity bill; in danger of damage with power off; confirmed?
- \*DW's English to Pacific and Asia via Antigua moves from 6 to 9 MHz
- \*Special Xmas broadcast to North America from R. Tsent, Russia, Dec. 23-24-25 UT; reports to [letters@radiocentre.org](mailto:letters@radiocentre.org) or .net
- \*BBC World Service times for HM the Queen's Xmas Message to the Commonwealth
- \*Just A Minute, zany panel game, back with new series replacing Brain of Britain; available on demand?
- \*BBC On Air magazine moves program grids to separate folio insert
- \*`I Want My BBC` petition campaign to restore North American and Australian service as a New Year's boon by The Queen; send name, full address, postal code, E-mail address to [mark.coady@sympatico.ca](mailto:mark.coady@sympatico.ca) Americans too as supporting petitioners; deadline Dec. 28. Or to I Want My BBC, c/o Mark Coady, 1038 Ward St., Bridgenorth, Ont., Canada K0L 1H0
- \*BBC Radio 3, webcast, repeating some Prom Concerts from last summer, starting Dec. 20 into January; see <http://www.bbc.co.uk/proms/broadcasts/repeats.shtml>
- \*WOR 1110, wghauser@hotmail.com or P O Box 1684, Enid, OK 73702 USA; our websites: <http://www.worldofradio.com> or <https://www.angelfire.com/ok/worldofradio/>
- \*Many thanks this week for financial support go to: James D. Strader
- \*R. Denmark broadcast news in English, by computer mistake
- \*Scandinavian Weekend Radio, Finland, has special Xmas broadcast for

24 hours from 2200 UT Dec 24; complex schedule of frequencies via <http://www.swradio.net> as well as coverage maps

- \*Technicians` CEP union strike against CBC continues; see recent DXLDs; another union, CMG offers them financial support
- \*Pacifica dispute settled at last; see DXLD 1-196, 1-197 but a WBAI program host was just suspended for discussing settlement
- \*FCC authorizes hams to experiment on longwave frequencies as WC2XSR, but no contacts
- \*Condolences to Allan Weiner of WBCQ whose father, Samuel S. Weiner, died last week
- \*R. Pueblo, Dominican Republic, with classical music on 5 MHz
- \*R. Maria de Colombia/Ecuador on 90 meters appears to be new user of La Voz del Napo transmitter; <http://www.radiomariaecuador.org>
- \*Congratulations to HCJB on its 70th anniversary December 25
- \*HCJB DX Partyline updates website and now stores program audio on demand via: <http://www.hcjb.org/english> -- also Ham Radio Today
- \*R. Maranyon, Peru, reactivated on 60 meters
- \*Annual reminder that Xmas eve, New Year`s eve and vicinity are very good times to look for rare Latin American, African stations on later than usual or even reactivated for holidays
- \*Weekly Antarctic traffic net on 15 meters also a DX opportunity
- \*Bob Padula criticises Digital Radio Mondiale tests, excessive interference to analog broadcasters
- \*Propagation outlook from Boulder, December 18; flux range 175-235
- \*With a standard disclaimer,
- \*Glenn Hauser, concluding World of Radio 1110       ###